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## (54) MEDICAL CAPSULE

## (57) Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a medical capsule to force least inconvenience to a patient for power supply and capable of using for a long time in an organism.

SOLUTION: A spherical inner capsule 3 embedded with an observation device 11 and a lighting device 12 is rotatably supported by a pin 6 protruded from a beam 4 and a motor rotation shaft 8, and a motor shaft 10 of an electromagnetic motor 9 mounted on the top part of the beam 4 is fixed to a spherical outer shell capsule 2. The observation direction is made possible to be arbitrarily set by rotations of electromagnetic motors 7 and 9, further, the stator side of an electromagnetic dynamo 13 is fixed in the inner capsule 3, an eccentric weight 17 is fixed to a rotation shaft 16 rotatably attached with an electromagnetic coil, the electric energy generated by acting the rotation force of the ec-

centric weight 17 on the rotation shaft 16 is charged in a battery 15 to make the capsule capable of being embedded in an organism for observation even without supplying power for a long time.

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